

FULL PROGRAM FOR BASSANO'S BIG SPORTS DAY

**Rain and Improved Crop Prospects
Put People in Cheerful Mood for
Coming Dominion Day Celebration
 Carnival Program Will be Elaborate
 With Several New Games.**

With the Dominion Day celebration less than three weeks hence, the people of Bassano and district are in a cheerful mood for the coming event. Rain has brightened prospects of a crop, and with hopes of a good harvest the farmers and business men are feeling more optimistic and will be prepared to step out and have a good time on Dominion Day. The carnival committee has made arrangements for an attractive list of midway entertainments which will be operated at the fair grounds in the afternoon and at the street carnival at night. Several new games will be running this year, including an aeroplane game, elevator game, amusement devices and games will be operated, and there will also be the usual refreshment booth serving lunch, ice cream, and soft drinks. The sports program will provide a full day of entertainment, starting with the children's sports in the morning. Two basketball games, horse races, and a list of athletic events will be run off in the afternoon. At the conclusion of the afternoon program the carnival horses will be moved to the street in front of the Masonic Community Hall where the carnival midway will be in full swing in the evening. At 10:30 p.m. the drawing will take place for the Shorthorn bull, and some lucky winner will receive a substantial addition to his livestock. If the winner prefers cash he will receive a cheque on the spot.

TENNIS

Play in the mixed doubles tournament has slowed up, but it is expected that the games will be down to the final in a few days. Schedules have been drawn up for the men's doubles and ladies' doubles tournaments, and a few matches have already been played off. In the junior tournament, Glen Stiles won the girls' event and Archie Johnston won the boys'.

THIEVES STEAL FOUR DOZEN BOTTLES OF BEER

**Warehouse of Distributors Ltd.
Broken Into Monday Night—Three
Thieves, Make Away With
Liquid Refreshments.**

Forcing an entrance with a crowbar which they stole from the C.P.R. D.N.R. blacksmith shop, thieves broke into the warehouse of the Distributors Ltd. Monday night and carried off four dozen bottles of beer. The liquid refreshments were all that were taken. After breaking in the thieves explored the ice box, office, and all parts of the premises. Office papers were scattered around, and next morning were found in an empty box nearby. Police are tracing the culprits, but as yet no arrests have been made.

ORPHEUM THEATRE TALKING PICTURES!!

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY THIS WEEK
"OUR BLUSHING BRIDES"

Starting Guss Crawford, is here on the bargain counter, a thing of better and sale? Don't make up your mind till you see this entrancing story of three department store girls who travel three different roads to romance.

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY NEXT WEEK
"LAST OF THE DUANES"

Zane Grey's greatest romance of the southwest. Out of a tragedy grew a beautiful love. An epic of the wide open spaces.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, AND SATURDAY NEXT WEEK
"SCOTLAND YARD"

A mystery thriller of a crook whose highest hand was love that belonged to another. Edmund Lewis in a baffling dual role. All passed "U" pictures

Gem News

GEM, June 10—Ray DeLemmon, and cousin Mrs. Nasse of Evans, Illinois, who have been enjoying a holiday with Mrs. E. Turner, plan to return to the States on Wednesday. They will take Robert Weber with them.

The Misses L. Pollock and E. Robson, who are in Edmonton attending the farm young people week at the university, are expected home on Thursday next.

Deanora Hendricks of Bassano is in the colony on Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Colman and Mr. Foley were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Hyre.

Rumors are afloat that some of our neighbors plan to leave for the Peace River district. Bert Connell, John Van Verligan and Emel Van Verligan are planning to go in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Fersland, formerly of Gem and now of Vancouver, arrived in the colony on Monday having made the trip by auto. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joey Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Selfridge were weekend business visitors to Calgary. They returned home Sunday evening, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Warren, who are to spend an extended holiday at the old home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Vile, the Misses Fox and Heist with P. Marquis, enjoyed a pleasant Sunday evening guests of Mrs. Keeling.

Mrs. Roy Robinson was a Tuesday afternoon caller on Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitten of Crawley Valley passed through the colony on Tuesday en route to Brooks.

This year's roundup was in charge of Mike Walker.

F. Williamson was a Hussar business visitor on Saturday last.

Chas. Galbraith of Brooks was a business visitor to the colony on Tuesday.

Heavy rains fell in the colony on Tuesday evening greatly benefiting crops and gardens.

Swimming Pool is Well Patronized in Warm Weather

**Hot Days Make Swimming Popular
Sports—Improvements Made in
Big Tank This Year**

Hot weather this week—between rainstorms—has brought out the bathing suits. Many boys and girls and a number of adults are making use of the swimming pool. The big tank is in use during all the hours it is open, and the sport of swimming is particularly enjoyed by scores of boys and girls, some of whom spend practically all their play hours there.

This year a number of improvements have been made in the pool. A concrete entrance for the water, running right down to the deep water in the pool, has been built so as to keep the water as clean as possible. The diving board has been changed a little and the bottom of the pool below the board deepened so as to permit deep diving. The water is now running almost continuously and this keeps it clean and fresh.

Patrons of the pool are urged to buy season tickets. These are to be obtained at the post office.

Good Rains Improve Outlook for Wheat Crop

**Stays Monday and Tuesday Being Needed Moisture to West Fields—
Farmers Cheered by Good Rainfall in All Districts—More Than Half
an Inch Falls at Bassano and in Crofton, Maplewood, and
Other Districts West and Northwest—Pasture Lands Benefited.**

Old Timers Will Picnic at Stevestville

Early settlers and their families who homesteaded in the Stevestville district many years ago will hold a re-union gathering at Stevestville on July 6.

Many early settlers have moved to neighboring districts, and a large number of these plan to attend the affair.

Last summer the first gathering of this kind was held at Stevestville and it was such an enjoyable affair that the old timers decided to make it an annual event.

BOARD OF TRADE HAVE BUSY SESSION

**John Mackintosh, M.L.A., Gives Interesting Talk—Spoke of the Canadian
and British Economies, and
Water, Weeds, Meads, Discussed.**

A board of Trade members spent an interesting day busy hour and a half last Wednesday afternoon at the regular luncheon meeting. Twenty-six members and visitors were present.

After the regular business session Mr. Ingram, weed supervisor of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, gave a short talk on the report. He was followed by John Mackintosh of Brooks, M.L.A., who told some of his experience as member. By this constituency and side lights on the economy of the provincial government.

John Mackintosh reported the fair grounds program for the July first celebration was prepared, and that the prize bull had arrived.

A. T. Connolly advised the members that the scales had been cleaned as instructed at the last meeting.

Pres. W. Melows reported on the sugar beet problem and expressed regret that so far the federal government had done nothing to aid the industry. He said, however, that E. J. Garfield, M.L.A., had secured members for Bow River and Medicine Hat respectively, were endeavoring to get the Dominion government to reconsider the matter.

Regarding the proposed swing and tetter in the auto camp, Dr. B. E. Barlow, chairman of the committee that had charge of the auto camp, said his committee did not favor the plan.

There was a discussion concerning the cost of water for the irrigation system. Several members believed the cost was too high, and it was decided to investigate this matter and see what could be done about it.

CLOSE RACE IN GOLF TOURNEY

**Hal Garth Climbs to Within One
Stroke of Keith With Still Leads
With a Score of 161—Final Round
Will be Played at Gleichen**

Still leading the field by a margin of one stroke, Dr. W. F. Keith is meeting strong opposition in the play-off for the Calgary Herald cup. Hal Garth, of Bassano, holds undisputed second place with a score of 162, one stroke more than Keith and four strokes less than Tait White of Brooks, who ranks third.

The second round of the competition was played on the golf course last Sunday afternoon. It was a fair day for golf, and there was a big turnout.

Following are the best scores of the day: Clifford, Gleichen, 79; Garth, Bassano, 81; Dr. Keith, Bassano, 82; White, Brooks, 84; Morrison, Brooks, 85; Fowler, Brooks, 87.

The total scores of the leaders in the two rounds of play are: Dr. Keith, 161; Garth, 162; White, 166; Morrison, 167; Clifford, 168.

The Brooks Golf Club treated the visitors from Bassano and Gleichen in royal fashion. Tea was served in the club house by the ladies.

Majorville Old-timer Dies at Bassano

**Milton W. Francis, Early Settler of
Majorville District, Died in Bas-
sano Tuesday, June 9—Funeral
Held Thursday Afternoon.**

Death claimed one of Majorville's earliest settlers in the person of Milton W. Francis, who died in the Bassano Hospital Tuesday June 9, at the age of 79 years.

The late Mr. Francis homesteaded in the Majorville country about 1903 and has resided there ever since that time. He was known to everybody through the district.

He was a splendid type of citizen, and was beloved and respected by everybody who knew him.

He was survived by his wife and a number of sons and daughters, the elder being children by his first wife, and residing in the United States. Three sons, Ben, Sam, and Claire, live in Majorville, also the youngest daughter, Ross. There are two other daughters, Mrs. Wm. Kinley, of Majorville, and Mrs. Tom Scott, of Turner Valley.

Funeral services were held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Bassano, Thursday afternoon, June 11.

MAIN HIGHWAY WILL BE GRAVELLED THIS YEAR

John Mackintosh, of Brooks, M. L. A., in an address at the Bassano Board of Trade meeting on Wednesday, advised the members that the Provincial Department of Public Works intended to complete the graveling of the main highway through Bassano to Medicine Hat this year.

Hussar News

HUSSAR, June 10—A heavy shower fell here on Monday evening, returning later in the night, and the morning being cloudy, will be considerably good. It was not a local, as the last rain, but was heavier here than the rest of the country. The heat of Saturday and the hot wind Sunday, did a great deal of damage as there is not a bit of reserve moisture in the soil. The winds have whipped several fields off and withered.

Two car loads of broodew, driven by Messrs. A. A. Cliford and A. Kaughman, went for a very interesting drive south east of Bassano Sunday, to see the wild antelope, and were fortunate enough to see several.

They went to the river where they had lunch and spent an hour waiting in the water. Then they went to the dam which they explored thoroughly. They returned in the evening, tired but happy. Mr. T. Barlow had accompanied them.

Messrs. Fringie, Montgomery, Forster and Burdett motored to Drumheller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hawkshaw motored to Brooks for golfing Sunday.

The W. I. will meet at Mrs. A. Jensen's on June 16th.

Miss Christina Murdoch motored to Calgary and to Belvoir for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hurst left on Saturday for their vacation trip.

AIR SHOW BOOKED FOR 23rd OF JUNE

**Famous War Pilot Will Stunt for
Crowds at Bassano—Dozen Planes
to Put on Flying Exhibition and
Make Passenger Flights**

The All Canadian Air Tour, with a fleet of about a dozen planes, is coming to Bassano Tuesday, June 23.

This organization is making a tour of the cities of western Canada, and Bassano is one of the first points they will visit.

Capt. Fred McCall, famous war ace of the Royal Air Force, and other well known pilots will do stunts and fancy flying for the entertainment of the crowd. The air show begins at 1:30 p.m., and after an exhibition of several types of the ships will make passenger flights.

Bearcats Defeat Queenstown; Lose to Meadowbrook

**Hitting Spree Features Sunday Game
at Queenstown—Meadowbrook
Trims Crippled Bearcats in Game
Here on Wednesday**

Winning one and losing one, the Bassano Bearcats showed a 50 per cent average in two games played within the week.

The first game was played Sunday afternoon at Queenstown when the Bassano ball team defeated the Queenstown nine by 20 runs to 16 in a game that was featured by heavy hitting on both sides. The leather trowsers on both teams were hot and often, it was an exciting game for the spectators.

The line-up: Bassano, Simpson; Leonard I. B.; Ralph Burrows; B. and Cameron; R. Downs; B. H. Burrows; L. LePage; C. Foley; B. Cuthrie; H. Heryford; P. Yale; I. Heryford in the last inning.

Meadowbrook defeated the crippled Bearcats in a game here Wednesday evening. A. Simpson, Ralph Burrows, and L. H. Heryford were out of the game with injuries. J. Cameron, another regular, was not on the team.

Meadowbrook scored 3 runs in the home run in the fourth with the home run by Art Merquardt giving the first two innings for the Bearcats but when he developed a sore arm he was relieved by Bill Heryford.

Meadowbrook: A. Munn; H. Heryford; I. Heryford; J. Cameron; C. H. Heryford; B. W. Heryford; B. Blair; P. Munn.

The Bearcats will play at Cluny next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Anyone going to the game please leave word at Piersen's Service Station if they are to give transportation to players.

Boy Scouts, Cluny, and Bassano will play in the tournament at Bassano on July 1.

MANY ADMIRE PRINCE'S PRIZE SHORTHORN

**Board of Trade, Animal is Pine
Specimen of Shorthorn Breed—On
Display at Playfair's Barn**

Prifection Jure, purebred Shorthorn bull purchased by the Bassano Board of Trade from the Prince of Wales High River ranch, is now in Bassano. He arrived last Monday by freight and has now been seen at W. S. Playfair's barn where he will be kept until July 1.

The prize animal is a fine specimen of the Shorthorn breed. Local stock men who have seen him declare he is a splendid animal and would make a fine leader in any herd. He will be 20 months old and now weighs 1520 pounds, having gained much weight since he was purchased a few weeks ago. Photographs of the Shorthorn breed and a picture of the bull will be printed on advertising cards which will be distributed in a few days time.

Winner May Mass Case. In offering a Shorthorn bull as a prize in the carnival drawing, the Bassano Board of Trade have again shown the improvement of the quality of livestock in Alberta. This is an objective which is being advocated by livestock associations and governments throughout the west.

It is possible that some one may have the winning number who may not be a resident of Bassano. To the prize to the best advantage. If such a one is the winner he can readily turn his prize into cash. The bull cost the board of trade \$300. A substantial cash offer has already been made for the animal, and if the winner does not wish to take his prize the board of trade will pay cash on the winning ticket and make all the arrangements for disposing of the bull.

Bassano Juniors Win Over Gleichen in Tennis Tournament

**Local Racquet Stars Take Eight
Matches Out of Nine—Tournament
Played at Gleichen Last Saturday**

Junior members of the Bassano Tennis Club scored a decisive victory over the Gleichen Junior last Saturday in a series of eight matches, losing only one. The tournament was played on the Gleichen courts. The results of the games are as follows:

Johnston and Holmes, Bassano, defeated Smith and Murray, Gleichen, 6-4, 6-2.

Wright and Smith, Bassano, defeated Dwyne and MacCallum, Gleichen, 6-0, 6-2.

A. Ford and Ted Stiles, Bassano, defeated Evans and Mattson, Gleichen, 6-0, 1-6, 6-4.

Gutman and Downie, Gleichen, defeated Gayford and Ueberlin, Bassano, 2-6, 6-0, 6-5.

Misses Playfair and Playfair, Bassano, defeated Misses Yates and McHenry, Gleichen, 6-1, 6-1.

Misses W. Playfair and Stiles, Bassano, defeated Misses Young and Gutman, Gleichen, 6-1, 6-1.

Jack Gregg and L. Bannock, Bassano, defeated Evans and Miss Michael, Gleichen, 6-0, 6-0.

Miss G. Stiles and Geo. Stiles, Bassano, defeated Miss and Miss Young, Gleichen, 6-2, 6-2.

D. Ford and Miss F. Playfair, Bassano, defeated Murray and Miss Yates, Gleichen, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1.

APPEARANCE OF CEMETERY BEING GREATLY IMPROVED

The growth of trees in the cemetery is making a great improvement in the appearance of the grounds. The first trees were planted in the cemetery two years ago, and these are showing a splendid growth.

The cemetery trustees are watering and irrigating, and with care and attention they are being given by the Bassano Board of Trade they are sure to thrive. Much to be credited to the improvement in the cemetery this year is due to Dr. B. E. Barlow, chairman of the tree planting committee. He has devoted much time and work this spring to the beautification of the grounds.



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Benlett's government wants no
"truck or trade" with Russia, yet
the land of the Soviets sits in the
big wheat conference, with Canada
one of the principals.

This Princeton Junior animal that
will be given away by the Bassano
Board of Trade on July 1 is a fine
piece of Shorthorn beef. And that's
no "bull."

The Brooks Board of Trade is
sponsoring a field crops competition
again this year. Prizes are given in
sheep, oats, barley, and alfalfa hay.
A competition of this kind might be
profitably undertaken by the Bassano
Board of Trade.

Since the rain early this week
those five year old girls have learn-
ed to swim.

If you want a nice young woman
for \$50 cents buy a Bassano car-
nival ticket. Buy a ticket away
and you can have the cash prize if
you win.

WEEDS
Weeds, it seems, we have always
with us. They are hardy plants,
and thrive even in poor crop years.
Even with the practise of moderate
preventive measures, they tres-
sant and crowded fields, and cause
the farmer work, worry, and loss of
crop yield.

Weeds are an ever threatening
danger to the prosperity of agricul-
ture. In some districts in the west
the weeds have crowded out the
crops and caused such heavy losses
that farming is not profitable even
in good years.

The provincial department of
Agriculture is fully alive to the dan-
gers of the weed menace. The pro-
blem has become so serious that the
department has sometimes to use
unusual measures to destroy weeds in
badly infested fields.

It is the duty of the weed inspec-
tors to visit all areas of the pro-
vince, give advice, and make recom-
mendations. This task is some-
times, an unpleasant one. The
visit of the weed inspector is some-
times resented, but it must be re-
membered that he is acting under
instructions from the department,
and that the department seeks to
protect the farmer by controlling the
weed menace before it clogs the
life of the agricultural industry. It
is a province-wide problem that
requires sympathy, understanding
and co-operation.

**SPOITS DAY
COMING**

It is less than three weeks till Bas-
sano's Dominion Day celebration.
The event is the most important one
in the year in the social life of the
community, and it deserves the sup-
port of everyone in the district.
The crop situation is a barometer
for sports day. With good crop
prospects we may expect a good at-
tendance and a generous spending
of money, while with poor crop
prospects the people feel they must
keep the purse strings and save
every cent for food and clothing.
So today, with the wheat crop
growing under favorable conditions,
the prospects for a good sports day
in Bassano are optimistic. The sports
committee is putting on a fine day's
program of entertainment, and the
event should prove a big attraction to
everyone.

**THE WHEAT CROP
LOOKS UP**

It rains early this week brought a
wonderful improvement in crop pros-
pects in this and neighboring dis-
tricts. The rain has brightened
hopes of farmers for a crop of wheat,
and the grain is now growing under
favorable conditions.
The chief concern of farmers has
not been the price, but the quantity
of wheat they will harvest. The
price, while a most important mat-
ter, is subordinate to the need of
having something to sell to get a
price of any kind.

A crop, a good crop, is the urgent
desire of the farmer. And when a
good crop is not yet assured, conditions
are now favorable, and gives
a few more rains before harvest a
good crop may be expected.

With a good crop in this district,
even with the present grain prices,
the financial straits will be relieved,
and farmers and merchants will be
able to carry on.

AGS
By Wilfred J. Park
This then is the age: a soft crum-
bling.
Or shadowy palaces: an icy wind
blowing between dead worlds; a
senseless mummaling.
The rich blood of peasant cold and
chilled.

This is age, then: a sleep and a for-
getting:
The loosening of fingers formed to
hold;
The loneliness of life: a broad sun
setting:
A dreary tale, in dreaminess retold:
Ratley: nor any further thrilling:
Nor a sharp thrill to meet the
eager buds.
Of a young spring: dreams, tides,
cent, bursting.
As babies do, in drops of bitter
sweat.

PIGRIMAGE
By Edwin Ford Piper
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The way is just a place where
people want.
A miry lane mottled with shadow
pools.
A cart track shouldering under
huffs and heat.
By rock and hazel coppice; or where
mules

Dappled with frothing slush climb
autumnally.
The windy ridge, and wintry sun
sees meet.

A desolate forest where strong
groves might lie.
Under the rush and rattle of the
sleet.

Along the unknown vista, the sur-
prise.
Of Venice, Panarasta, and the
graces.
The orient opens unto western eyes.
The lingling franca, the dark foreign
faces.

New vistas for the soul—terror
and lust
Beauty of nobility . . . and tenuous
dust.

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To the muted drone of the motor
The highway rocks over hill and
hollow:
Under the eyes of insanities
The hot dust aries.
Smothering moans and fern . . .
Chirp and chatter and drone.
With a sub-human gesture
Under the whirling dust
A hiker appeals . . .
Chirp . . . drone . . . drone
The wind rakes of gas and rubber:
Kyes peer
Under scratchy dust
Over dead birds.
Drone . . . drone.
Out of tenderness into unrest . . .
Where do we go from here?

'Sue Him
"There goes the man who wind-
ed me out of fifty grand."
"Yeah!"
"Yeah. He wouldn't let his daugh-
ter marry me."
Voice of the Tempter
Small boy—"I don't think the
gentleman next door knows much."
Kyes peer
Mother—"Why?"
"Well he told me this morning to
sue my drum open and see what
was inside it."

Very, Very Classic
The classic example of the double-
entendre is the reply sent by Is-
rael to an author who had sent him
a copy of his latest book. "Dear
Sir," Israeli wrote, "I thank you
for your book and can assure you I
shall lose no time in reading it."
A similar, though inferior, reply
was that of the gentleman who
wrote, "I have read your book and
much like it."

'And Then They Quarreled
Magistrate—"What started the
trouble between you and the plain-
tiff?"
Defendant—"Well, your honor, it
was like this. 'E three 'rs 's
over me—'I 'm 'm—'m—'m—'m—
my bag of tools—then e cuts
my 'sack open v's a bottle—'m—
the next thing we know, we had our
selves quarrellin'!"

And Sometimes Lessons
"After all, the city government is
just like a tree—we officials are
merely the branches, but you people
are the roots and the trunk."
"Aye, true," spoke up one son of
Erin, "but ye must admit that all
the plums grow on the branches."

It's Up to You
Life is a hoise
With a bridle and bit—
It will drive you
If you don't drive it.

The Automotive World

ENGINEERS WARN AGAINST OVERHEATING ENGINES

With the advent of warmer weather and the greater use of auto-
mobiles, there is one old item on the in-
strument panel of the modern car which
drivers should glance at occasion-
ally, according to engineers. This
dial registers the temperature of the
engine, which has considerable to
do with the efficient operation of a
motor car. Engineers advise that
the point of maximum efficiency
ranges between 160 and 180 degrees
Fahrenheit. "Automobiles should
never be subjected to speed or hard
pulls until the engine has been
warmed up to at least 120 degrees,"
they state. "Drive at a moderate
pace until this temperature has
been reached. It is wise to check
the car when the temperature nears
200 degrees as the water in the cool-
ing system will start boiling just
above this point."

MOTOR ENGINEERS GIVE DRIVING TIPS

Nearly 28,500,000 automobiles are
registered in Canada and the United
States and the great majority of
these will be on the road every day
of the year. The weather has been
warm and the resulting traffic con-
gestion demands careful driving and
few suggestions on how to drive
safely. "Concentrate on driving
and allow nothing to distract your
attention," they say. "This is the most important
factor in safe driving. Even the fine-
est of cars cannot drive themselves.
Next to concentration comes care-
fulness. Probably the law regulating
speed in England and some states
best expresses careful driving. These laws set no ar-

bitrary speed limit but rules that a
car should be driven faster than will
allow it to be stopped in the clear
distance ahead. This means slowing
down for curves, hills and at all
times when a clear view of the road
ahead is not obtainable. Courtesy is
a third requisite. Be polite to your
side of the road. Give the other
 fellow a chance. He polts when
behind the steering wheel. Prac-
tising consideration toward other
drivers is a fine insurance against
accidents. A study of accidents
shows that those occurring in cities
usually happen at street intersec-
tions, while mishaps on the high
ways most frequently occur on the
intersections or curves. These are
due chiefly to ill-advised attempts
by drivers to pass other cars going
in the same direction."

WARN AGAINST PROPER LUBRICATION

Improper lubrication is one of the
worst evils that can beset the auto-
mobile, and it is often responsible
for unnecessary repair expenses, ac-
cording to engineers. The motor-
ists who familiarize himself with
lubrication instructions in the owner's
manual is simply repaid in smaller
upkeep cost and better car perform-

ance. Advancement in the auto-
mobile, the engineers explain, has
been so great in the past few years
that even the experienced motorist,
who once upon a time eagerly read
and studied instruction books,
would find it well worth while to
keep up on knowledge of his car
today. "Lubrication instructions,
for instance, have changed greatly.
Now many motorists know that it
is the thin oil film between moving
parts that really protects the auto-
mobile engine against wear, and that
this oil film is about six times thinner
than the oil of a magazine? Or how
many motorists know that it is the
oil filter that keeps this oil film
free from dirt, sludge and ab-
sorbents, thus minimizing engine
wear, and that the filter itself needs
servicing every 10,000 miles be-
cause at this period of its life, it be-
comes clogged with foreign matter
removed from the oil and ceases to do
its work of providing a clean oil film?

Elementary, Watson
Gum—The you know any reli-
able rule for estimating the cost of
oil?"
Boyle—"Yes. Take your income-
tax that may be—and add 10
per cent."

Pahfinder.
The small, nervous husband "was
having an unpleasant interview with
the large muscular cook whom he
was reprimanding on account of her
numerous breakages."
"Look here," said she, "you can't
righten me—I'm a 'dreadnought,'
that's what I am."
"Well," replied the other, looking
at the soup, "if broken china, 'I
would rather say—that that you are
a destroyer."

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Local Newslets

H. O. Bredin returned last Saturday from Edmonton.

Roy Smith was a business visitor to Glendon last Saturday.

Miss Sally Ross gave a picnic at the "backyard" last Saturday for her school pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Hutchison and children motored to Glendon on Saturday.

Mrs. T. H. Hunter is visiting in Bassano this week with Mrs. J. W. Hubner.

Jan. Johnston and J. H. Stiles went to Calgary Wednesday, to select goods for the carnival on sports day, July 1.

John Mackintosh, of Brooks, M. L. A., was in Bassano Wednesday this week and gave a short address at the Board of Trade meeting.

It is reported that V. Hogan and A. G. Bond are having a great honeymoon trip motoring in the Pacific coast states.

A tea and sale of home cooking will be held by the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian Church Saturday afternoon, June 13, from 3 to 4 o'clock, in Currie and Milroy's store.

While coming home from Turner Valley last Monday afternoon with a truck Art Simpson ran into a heavy hail storm near Arrowwood. The stones were so large and came down with such force that windows in the truck were broken, and the stones made holes in the roof of the cab.

Mrs. A. P. Thompson was a visitor to Calgary last Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Hopkins was a visitor in Calgary last week.

Mrs. Thomas, of Crossfield, is the guest of Mrs. W. McFarlane.

Remember the fortnightly dance in the Mesquite Community Hall Friday evening of this week.

Rev. R. H. Little, of Edmonton, formerly of Bassano, is still reported ill.

Mrs. S. Leonard, who has spent the last six weeks visiting in California, returned home on Thursday.

Miss Beatrice Leonard, nurse in training at the Jackson Park Hospital, Chicago, came home Tuesday for a three weeks' vacation.

A. W. Gill, who was manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce here, is in Glendon this week for a few days. He is winding up the business affairs of the bank and expects to leave on his holidays about the last week in June.

Mrs. M. R. Milroy left this morning, Thursday, to visit her mother, Miss Norma, who has been ill for the past few weeks. Mrs. Milroy and Norma are expected home in a few days.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rasmussen, of Chancellor, June 3, at the Bassano Hospital.

Miss Berglitt Holland, of Hassar, is a patient in the Bassano Hospital. She was operated on for appendicitis on Tuesday and is now coming along nicely.

Miss Helen Johnston was in Medicine Hat this week visiting Miss Emily Helwell.

Among other fine contributions, Lady Houston recently donated \$5,000 to the Fellowship of the Maple Leaf Fund for the western provinces. This fine teacher's organization is better known in Saskatchewan where the Maple Leaf Fund in Regina was a gift to the Association. It is ready to keep cases of great hardship among people from the old country.

If informed of any severe case of distress the editor will pass on same for investigation to a local member of this association.

CRAWLING VALLEY, June 10.—The Ladies Aid meet at Mrs. R. B. McKinnay's home on Saturday and want a good crowd to attend.

Miss McKinnay's sister and brother-in-law came here on a visit from Spokane last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Austenson, Mrs. E. N. Austenson, and Mrs. J. W. Whitney were dinner guests Saturday night at R. Robson's.

Mrs. R. LeFors and children are staying at "Acme for awhile."

Miss Margarette Sykes was a week end visitor at the Thew home.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney made a trip to Brooks on Tuesday. Mrs. Robson and Trellis Mae accompanied them as far as Gen.

L. B. Cyr who has been on the sick list is reported better and has many friends with him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Austenson, Mrs. E. N. Austenson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robson, R. Johnson were dinner guests at Roy Robson home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Perside and son from Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Douglas and daughter were Sunday evening visitors at the Whitely home.

The way to fight communism is to make the world more prosperous. Sir George Paik.

Everything Was All Right
A boy about to purchase a seat for a cinema in the afternoon, was asked by the box-office man: "Why aren't you at school?"

"Oh, it's all right, sir," said the youngster, earnestly, "I've got the measles."

Self Service
The telegram pole gang had gone into the restaurant straight off the job and were hungry.

"What'll you have?" asked the lady in waiting to one of the gang's biggest and toughest.
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Business News

DUCHESS, June 10.—Duchess ball team played Concord on Sunday at Steveston, winning 16-11.

The Ladies' Aid, are putting on a miscellaneous sale on the 18th of June. Everything from dressed chickens to wearing apparel will be on sale. Tea, cake and ice cream will be served.

The sewing circle met with Mrs. Wille on Thursday.

Miss Deaver assistant to Mr. Spicer is the post office left for Calgary Tuesday.

Mrs. Howe and Mrs. Halley motored to Bassano Monday.

S. B. Hamer who is holidaying in the States is expected home Saturday.

Crowfoot News

CROWFOOT, June 10.—Little Albert Guyatt eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Guyatt passed away last Monday June 8 in the Bassano hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Guyatt have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Miss Evelyn Ross of Lathom is spending a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Weir.

Howard Larson and Harvey Jorgenson were callers in Bassano last Saturday evening.

The Crowfoot backwater is the scene of much excitement these days as several carloads of people are seen going there every day and last Saturday Miss Root and her pupils of the Bassano school were picnickers there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mullis and family of Calgary spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rodbourne. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brooks spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Campbell.

Everyone is rejoicing over the rain which fell last Monday evening.

Tom Mullis has been riding on the roundup the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Weir were Lathom callers last Saturday.

Mrs. Heffebower and Eleanor and Bert Howe spent Sunday visiting at the home of Miss Charlotte Spicer in Duchess.

Miss Hilda Rodbourne of Calgary spent the week-end visiting with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodbourne.

Rosemary News

ROSEMARY, June 11.—Miss Payne Robertson spent a pleasant evening last Thursday with Mrs. J. Brown of Duchess.

Mrs. Jones and Iris spent last week-end in Calgary.

Mr. Berger, of Relaw, was a visitor in the Colony over the week-end.

Pete Gellings and family had a great day at Lake Newell fishing last Sunday. They came home with 65 fish.

Miss Minnie McLeod, who has been attending Normal in Calgary, is home for the holidays.

Alt. Undergard, of Duchess, passed through here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taustoft, Mr. and Mrs. R. Norlon, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Taustoft spent last Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. Edwards, of Patricia.

Mrs. J. Mercer is enjoying a visit with her niece, Miss Stutz, who has been attending normal in Calgary.

The Rosemary W. I. met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Young on June 4th, with nineteen members present, including four new members.

The meeting opened in the usual manner, followed by the roll call, this being answered by each member giving their birth place and different places lived in since. After the minutes were read and approved a short report of the Edmonton W. I. Convention was given by our delegate, Mrs. C. Narum. A further report will be given at the meeting in July.

It was decided that an invitation be extended to the Brooks W. I. to visit this organization on Thursday, June 18th. The afternoon's program concluded with community singing. After a delectable lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hall, the meeting adjourned to meet at Mrs. P. Adams' on July 2, Mrs. Park to assist.

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LOST—A new hive of bees; escaped from farm of H. P. Ferguson, at Cousteau, Thurs. June 4. Please notify W. H. Hansen, Cousteau.

LOST—A ratchet wrench with extension socket; lost in Bassano on road to H. H. road, H. H. Spence, Roy Smith's garage, Bassano.

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The Pictures

What is reported to be Joan Crawford's most pretentious talking picture to date will be seen at the Orpheum theatre this Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 11, 12 and 13, when Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer presents "Our Blushing Brides," an extravaganza original story by Bea Meredyth and Edwin Justin Mayer.

Harry Beaumont who produced "Our Dancing Daughters," the picture which resulted in stardom for Joan Crawford, directed the new film, and Anita Page and Dorothy Sebastian who played featured parts in the former all-star picture hit will again be seen in leading roles.

The story concerns the respective romances of three girls who work in the same department store and who share living quarters. Fed up with the humdrum and depressing existence of alarm clocks and canned food two of the roommates throw all caution to the winds, and when two wealthy and impetuous admirers offer them the opportunity for a more luxurious life, they accept one with the sanction of a wedding ring and the other with a promise of marriage to come. The third however, sticks to her standards, and an eventful turn out, her foresight proved only too accurate, the first two alliances resulting in disaster.

The critics are said to call for intensely dramatic performances upon the part of the principal feminine players.

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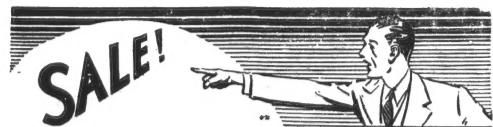
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